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Notice of Lifting of Suspension Date:

TO: { Directors Of Field Operations, Port Directors }

FROM: { Director AD/CVD & Revenue Policy & Programs }

RE: Scope determination on countervailing duty order on aluminum extrusions from the People's Republic of China ("PRC") (C-570-968)

1. On 08/15/2012, in response to a request by Ameristar Fence Products ("Ameristar"), Commerce issued a final scope determination that the aluminum kitted fences (one punched post, post cap, 15 pickets, two or three rails, two or three retaining rods and numerous grommets and screws imported in the same box) which Ameristar imports are within the scope of the countervailing duty order on aluminum extrusions from the PRC (C-570-968).
2. Because the kitted fences are manufactured from 6000 series aluminum alloy and because the kitted fences (1) meet the physical description of products covered under the order; (2) share the same essential customer expectations and use for product covered under the order; (3) have the same ultimate use as products covered by the order; (4) are sold through the same channels of trade as products covered by the scope of the order; and, (5) is displayed and advertised similarly to products covered by the scope of the order, Commerce found this product to be within the scope of the order. Additionally, Commerce found that the kitted fence does not qualify as a "finished goods kit" because it lacks components needed to fully assemble a final finished good (in this case, a fence system), and contains only subject aluminum extrusions and fasteners.
3. Continue to suspend liquidation of entries of aluminum extrusions from the PRC, including the aluminum kitted fences imported by Ameristar described above, subject to the countervailing duty order on aluminum extrusions from the PRC.
4. If there are any questions by the importing public regarding this message, please contact the Call Center for the Office of AD/CVD Operations, Import Administration, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce at (202) 482-0984. CBP ports should submit their inquiries through authorized CBP channels only. (This message was generated by O8:BDK.)
5. There are no restrictions on the release of this information.

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## Company Details

\*Party Indicator Value:

I = Importer, M = Manufacturer, E = Exporter, S = Sold To Party